8. [XX] Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to: SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD., Moriguchi-shi, Japan

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9. [] 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

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11. [XX] Information Disclosure Statement [1] Copy of IDS Citation w/PTO-1449 and 1 reference								
12. [] Preliminary Amendment								
13. [XX] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)								
14. [] Small Entity Status is claimed.								
15. [XX] Claim for Convention Priority [2] Certified copies of Priority Documents are enclosed a. Priority of <u>Japanese</u> application no. <u>2003-56536</u> filed on <u>March 4, 2003</u> is claimed under 35 USC 119 b. Priority of <u>Japanese</u> application no. <u>2003-56555</u> filed on <u>March 4, 2003</u> is claimed under 35 USC 119								
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